



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

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LEHTOVIRTA et al.

TC/A.U. 2686

Serial No. 09/778,960

Examiner: Willie J. Daniel, Jr.

Filed: February 8, 2001

Date: May 12, 2006

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RELEASING CONNECTIONS IN AN ACCESS NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.**

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Total effective claims after amendment 52 minus highest number  
previously paid for 47 (at least 20) = 5 x \$50.00 \$250.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ 250.00

Independent claims after amendment 5 minus highest number  
previously paid for 5 (at least 3) = 0 x \$200.00 \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add  
\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

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One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) 120.00  
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Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253)/\$510.00 (2253)  
Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254)/\$795.00 (2254)  
Five Month Extensions \$2160.00 (1255)/\$1080.00 (2255) \$

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$

☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) \$

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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Official Action dated January 13, 2006 (for which petition is hereby  
made for a one month extension of time), please amend the application as follows:

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01 FC:1251	120.00 OP
02 FC:1202	250.00 OP